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HALLOWE'EN NEXT

ALL SAINTS' DAY IS ON LAST DAY OF THIS MONTH.

WHY DAY IS CELEBRATED

Social Functions Will Doubtless Be Given and Be Scenes of Mirth.

Another Hallowe'en will soon be here. In less than two weeks the day of All Saints will be upon us and the usual gay festivities of the same date for many years past will be repeated. Hallowe'en is a yearly occasion that stands by itself. It is entirely unlike any of the other days of the year that are observed because some notable event occurred at that time or because it has been set aside by the world or some particular nation as a holiday, says the Creston Advertiser-Gazette. It has many peculiarities, which are unquestionably the result of the original customs of the occasion having taken a much different form as they were passed down through the generations. Taking the accepted definition of Hallowe'en and we see that in many ways the purposes for which it was originated have been abused. For instance, the idea of the small boy that it is a day when the wanton destruction of property is an appropriate act and when such conduct is excusable is certainly a mistaken one.

It will be as an Hallowe'en in Maryville if the city authorities can so make it. While there has been no announcements of social happenings on that night, it is doubtless that many will be given where there will be scenes of festive "stunts" in keeping with All Saints' day.

Hallowe'en is the popular name for the Eve of Vigil of All Saints. As the date of that festival is November 1st, Hallowe'en or Hallow-eveing is observed on the evening of October 31st. Historical advices regarding Hallowe'en are uncertain in naming the date of origin. It is practically certain that the festival of Hallowe'en was in the heathenish form by the Celtic races as early as the third century where rites of fire worship were performed and human lives offered up in sacrifice.

Anciently the most essential ceremony seems to have been the lighting of a bonfire at nightfall by every household. In Scotland in the ancient days there were many superstitions concerning Hallowe'en. The evening was thought to have brought a charm that enabled every maid and man to discover his or her future wife or husband. In England it has long been the custom to gather around the fire, crack nuts, duck for apples in water, and perform other fireside revelries.

WILL PUBLISH STATEMENT

Of Receipts and Expenditures for the Recent Street Fair.

The committee that had charge of the street fair in Maryville last week will publish a statement of the receipts and expenditures of the fair either Friday or Saturday, so all may know how the money was spent. After paying off all bills the Street Fair association is about \$500 to the good.

Will Register for Land.

Mr. and Mrs. Irl J. Walker returned from Bedford Wednesday evening, where Mr. Walker has charge of the Vogue theater, owned by J. B. Ells of the Fern theater of this city. Mr. Walker will take the place of L. J. Phipps at the moving picture machine during his absence at Gregory, S. D., where he has gone to register at the land opening. Mr. Phipps was accompanied by Chief of Police John Wallace and W. G. A. Edwards.

NO HEADQUARTERS.

Clark Says No Man Ever Declined a Nomination for President.

The St. Louis Republic last night telegraphed this message to Champ Clark at Dallas, Texas:

To settle discussion of the matter and relieve what many Democrats term an embarrassing situation, will you wire the Republic definitely whether or not you are a candidate for the presidential nomination and whether you recognize the action of the Democratic convention (of Missouri) that indorsed Folk? Dispatches from Washington are conflicting. Some say your presidential headquarters have been closed. Others that they have never been opened.

The speaker of the house of representatives sent this reply:

Answering your inquiry will say that the report sent out from Washington that my presidential headquarters have been closed is a malicious lie made of whole cloth, for the all-sufficient reason that I never had any presidential headquarters to close.

I never began a conversation about running for president in my life. I never wrote a letter soliciting anybody's help. I never spent a cent about it in my life.

I have been out of Missouri a whole month attending to my own business and making some clean money lecturing and have little idea as to what is being said and done in the state.

My own opinion is that all offices, including the presidency, belong to the people. The Missouri delegation to the national convention belongs to the Democrats of Missouri. I take it for granted that they have abundant sense to select such delegation as they want and to instruct it for their choice for president in a convention or primary called for that purpose. They cannot be deprived of that right. No man ever declined a nomination for president by a great party, and no man ever will decline such nomination.

ATHLETICS DEFEAT GIANTS.

But It Was a Game of Basket Ball in Tournament at Normal.

Standing of Teams.	P.	W.	L.	Prct.
Tigers	5	3	2	.600
Dodgers	7	4	3	.571
Dwarfs	6	3	3	.500
Giants	6	3	3	.500
Athletics	5	2	3	.400

No, gentle reader, the Philadelphia Athletics did not defeat McGraw's Giants Wednesday afternoon, but in the Normal basket ball tournament the Athletics avenged their defeat of last week by thoroughly trouncing the Giants 23 to 10. The Athletics presented a new line-up which proved effective. The line-up:

Athletics—Forwards, Allen and Price; V. Seymour; center, V. Seymour; Price; guards, Cook and Palmer.
Giants—Forwards, Taylor and Price, V. Seymour; center, V. Seymour; Price; guards, Hanna and McKeek.

Summary—Field goals, Strader 4, Perrin 5, Taylor 1, Seymour 3. Free throws, Perrin 5, Seymour 2.

In the second game the Dwarfs pulled the Dodgers out of first place by taking the long end of a 10 to 8 score. The feature of the whole game was the fine defensive work of Mc Clintock, who held Seymour without a field goal. Seymour was not up to form on his free throwing, as he only got three out of ten chances. The line-up:

Dwarfs—Forwards, Dunshee and Craig; center, Breit; guards, McClintock and Miller.
Dodgers—Forwards, Denny and McGrew; center, H. Seymour; guards, Feris, Mutz and Parman.

Summary—Field goals, Craig 2, Dunshee 1, Mc Clintock 1, McGrew 2. Free throws, Craig 1, Dunshee 1, Seymour 3. One point was awarded the Dodgers.

SAVINGS BANK AT HOPKINS

Designated by Postmaster General, and Effective on Nov. 9.

The Hopkins postoffice has been designated by Postmaster General Hitchcock as a postal savings depository, effective on November 9, 1911. W. L. Morehead is the postmaster at Hopkins. Up to the present time only a few of the larger towns of the state have been recognized with a postal savings bank in connection with their postoffice.

Visiting Patient at Hospital.

Mrs. Charles Nicholas of Burlington Junction spent Thursday in Maryville visiting at St. Francis hospital with her cousin, Wilson Nicholas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Nicholas, who is quite sick of appendicitis.

SUICIDE BY HANGING

JAMES FRANKLIN GRAY TOOK HIS LIFE NEAR PICKERING.

WAS SLIGHTLY DEMENTED

ATTENDED STREET FAIR IN MARYVILLE—LEAVES TWO DAUGHTERS IN THIS COUNTY AND A SON IN IOWA.

James Franklin Gray, an old soldier about 75 years old, took his life Wednesday afternoon by hanging himself in a barn on the farm of his daughter, Mrs. George Lock, two miles northeast of Pickering. The only cause given for the rash deed was that Mr. Gray has been mentally unbalanced for some time.

The body was found by Mrs. George Lock and was hanging on a rope that was fastened to a cross beam in the barn. Mrs. Lock says that it was about 3 o'clock when the body was found, and that probably he ended his life a half hour earlier. She said at the coroner's inquest held yesterday afternoon that her father has been imagining things, but had said nothing about taking his life.

Another daughter, Mrs. Lafe Blanchard, who lives but two miles from the Lock farm, said at the inquest that her father had attended the Maryville street fair two days last week, and since that time had seemed more nervous and worried. The last spell he had, Mrs. Blanchard says, was about on July 4, this year, when he was mentally off, but he got some better in a few days and was all right up to coming to Maryville last week.

A coroner's inquest was held Wednesday afternoon by Coroner J. H. Todd at the Lock home. The jury brought in a verdict that James Franklin Gray came to his death by his own hand by hanging by the neck. The coroner's jury was composed of Charles Coleman, Henry Pistole, James Carter, Roland Wray, L. J. Neal and Geo. W. Neal.

Mr. Gray has been making his home for the past year with his two daughters, Mrs. Lock and Mrs. Blanchard, near Pickering. Before that time he was in the old soldiers' home at Leavenworth, Kan., for two years. He is survived, beside these two daughters, by one son, George, who is living in Siam, Ia.

The funeral services will be held Friday, burial taking place in the cemetery west of Pickering.

Spent Day in St. Joseph.

Charles Childress of this city and his brother, Cabel Childress, living north of Maryville, accompanied by their nieces, Miss Helen Trullinger and Miss Clara Tabler, went to St. Joseph in the Childress car Thursday morning to spend the day on business and pleasure.

Choir Meeting.

The Christian church choir will meet this evening for practice at the church. On account of the social in the church parlors the hour has been changed to 7 o'clock sharp. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Gilbert, who have been making Maryville their home, went to Barnard Wednesday evening to live. They were accompanied by Mrs. Gilbert's sister, Miss Bertha Cox.

LADIES SPANISH ORCHESTRA

Mrs. Frank Walts was hostess to the IXL Embroidery club Wednesday afternoon, at her home, at 602 North Mulberry street. Only three

members were unable to be present. They were Mrs. Anna Stauble, Mrs. Wilbur Smith and Mrs. D. S. Mitchell.

The lesson of the afternoon in Irish crochet work was given by Mrs. I. W. Nixon. At the close of the study hour the hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. Ernest Weiborn and Mrs. Scribner Beech, Jr. This was the last meeting of the hostess with the IXL's, as she expects to leave Thursday of next week for St. Joseph to make her home. The change is made because that city is more convenient for Mr. Walts, who is a traveling salesman for Wheeler & Motter of St. Joseph.

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Dinner Guests Near Barnard.

Mrs. J. E. Melvin and her sister, Mrs. James Melvin of Sciota, Ill., were guests on Thursday of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Melvin of near Barnard.

Honor Guests at Hopkins.

Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., and Mrs. Lafe C. Allender went to Hopkins Thursday noon and were guests at 1 o'clock luncheon of Mrs. Edward Wolters, Sr. In the afternoon they were honor guests with Mrs. Gus Wehrman of St. Joseph at a party at 500 given by Mrs. Charles E. Donlin.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mrs. Anna Snyder and her daughter, Mrs. Emmett Beal of Oelrich, S. D., who is visiting her, and Mrs. Beal's mother-in-law, Mrs. George McArthur of Pickering, were 6 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Denham Wednesday evening. Mrs. Beal went to Pickering Thursday for a visit with her husband's parents, but expects to return Monday.

Missionary Tea.

Mrs. J. L. Jones of West First street will be hostess on Friday afternoon to the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church. The society will give its regular missionary tea that afternoon. A fine program has been prepared on denominational work in Russia, as reported recently at the Baptist world congress in Philadelphia. All the ladies of the church and congregation and their friends are cordially invited to attend.

South Side Embroidery Club.

Mrs. Charles J. Eckert entertained the South Side Embroidery club Wednesday afternoon at her new home, 1001 North Main street. Three of the members were unable to be present, Mrs. Miles Nicholas, whose son, Wilson Nicholas, is sick in the hospital; Miss Eva Farrar, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Carter, in Lawrence, Kan.; and Miss Bess Nicholas, who is in Circleville, Kan. The hostess served refreshments at the close of a very pleasant afternoon. The guest of the afternoon was Miss Cora Hartley of Bolckow, who is a visitor at the Eckert home this week. The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. Lawrence Frazee, living at Seventh and Mulberry streets. The members present were Mrs. M. D. Kemp, Mrs. J. C. Farrar, Mrs. Lawrence Frazee, Mrs. George Stafford, Mrs. J. P. Frazee, Miss Rose Frazee, Mrs. T. A. Wiles, Mrs. W. T. Ramsey, Mrs. H. W. Huil, Mrs. Edward Egley, Mrs. W. O. Garrett.

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"Shower" for Bride-Elect.

Mrs. F. W. Crow entertained with an informal domino party and "shower" at the Elks club Wednesday afternoon for Miss Mabel Allen, who will soon become a bride.

Mrs. Walter Whorton of Kansas City, who has been visiting her father, Dr. Frank Zenders of this city, and Mrs. J. M. Hosmer, left for her home Thursday morning. Dr. Zenders will go to Kansas City soon to make his home with his daughter, and will also spend some of his time with his son, Joseph Zenders of St. Louis. Dr. Zenders has sold his practice here to a veterinarian, and his son, who will be in the city soon, and expects to retire from his long service as a veterinary surgeon.

Left for Montana.

Mrs. John O'Connor, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Edwards, left Thursday for her home in Miles City, Mont.

The Weather

Generally fair tonight and Friday;

cooler tonight with probably frost if clear.

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Treats eyes with glasses only. He can give you 5,000 references in

Maryville and Nodaway county.

Ask your neighbors about Finn's glasses that make weak eyes strong.

W. B. FINN.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

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**Largest Circulation in
Nodaway County**

The death of Justice John Marshall Harlan is a great loss to the people of the United States. Justice Harlan was the oldest in point of service of any member of the supreme court, and had he lived six months longer he would have served a longer period than any man has yet served. His death leaves Chief Justice White, appointed by President Cleveland, the oldest member of the court in point of service. Justice Harlan was known as the people's judge, and his opinions were frequently at variance with the decisions of the court, as it was in the recent Standard Oil decision. President Taft will appoint a successor to Justice Harlan soon after congress meets. This appointment will turn the majority of the supreme court into one of Mr. Taft's own making, he having already appointed four members of the court and promoted one to the chief Justiceship. No other president except Lincoln ever had the opportunity to appoint so many members of the supreme court, and since Mr. Taft has found it impossible to view the great questions before the people in the same light as they are viewed by the public, it will be a matter of regret to the majority that this unusual opportunity is afforded him, as it can hardly be expected that a man of the same trend of thought and sympathies as Justice Harlan will be named to succeed him.

Auction sale of wagons Maryville,
Saturday, October 21, 1 p. m. sharp.

OCTOBER 19, 1911.

50--Good for 50 Votes--50

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our store and we will give you credit
for 50 votes.

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Not good after Thursday, October 26.

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RANGE THIS WEEK
Come in and see the World's Greatest Range
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Hosmer's Annual Weanling Colt Sale
Gray's Pavilion, Maryville, Saturday Oct. 21st, 1911.

50 HEAD WEANLING COLTS—There will be colts of all sizes and kinds, Roadsters, Drafters, and Mule colts. If you want to sell one or a dozen colts get them in the sale. If you want to buy some good colts this will be your chance.

20 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Some good ones already listed and more in sight, have some good drafters and roadsters.

Spring shoats, sows, boars of all breeds. 100 head of lambs, and a few extra good shropshire bucks are listed, so you can buy anything you want in the stock line. 5 extra good milch cows.

R. P. HOSMER "The Auctioneer."

Todays Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—6,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 2,000.

Hogs—26,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$6.80. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.

Sheep—28,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—7,000. Market steady.

Hogs—11,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$6.60.

Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,700. Market steady.

Hogs—6,500. Market 5c higher; top, \$6.55.

Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Oct. 18.—Cattle receipts, 8,000. Mostly medium and grassy grades. General market steady but very slow. Nothing choice here. No chance for improvement under present heavy receipts. Choice cattle are scarce and prospects favorable.

Hog receipts, 11,000. Active steady market. One lot brought \$6.75, but \$6.70 was the general top. Bulk of the good hogs sold at \$6.40@\$6.65. Outlook all right on fat hogs.

Sheep receipts, 2,000. Lamb quality poor; choice quotable to \$5.75. Sheep, \$3.65. Market unchanged.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

Outing and Street Suits.

Soft cheviots and serges will be the accepted materials for outing dresses and suits for general street wear.

The woman who has a blue serge suit will be decidedly "in" so far as fashion goes, especially if it is trimmed with satin or fur.

One of the most attractive models I have seen for an outing frock for fall was of sapphire blue serge with an almost invisible pinstripe woven in it, and it was trimmed with bias bands of blue and black striped satin.

The bodice was cut with half length kimono sleeves. From the shoulder line, both back and front, was a two-inch tuck each side extending to the slightly raised waist line.

One side of the bodice was finished with a deep square rever, which fell from the shoulder almost to the waist and was bordered with a band of striped silk, mitered at the corner. A large satin covered button and simulated buttonhole caught it down to the front of the bodice.

The left side of the bodice folded under perfectly plain, but had attached to it a lace edged rill of white batiste, which peeped out from underneath the rever. A similar rill finished the round neck.

Deep pointed cuffs of satin laid back over the sleeves. The bodice and skirt were joined with a narrow stitched girdle, which fastened in front with a satin covered button.

The skirt was perfectly plain, excepting for a shaped band of satin about the hem. It opened at the left side of the front and was slit up from the lower edge for twelve inches, where a pleating of silk was set in underneath, giving the skirt a slight fullness at the hem.

Satin covered buttons held this opening in place over the silk inset.

The frock was simplicity itself, yet exceedingly attractive for an all-round dress which can be worn all winter under a long coat or with furs.

Mrs. W. E. Wray of Dell Rapids, S. D., who has been visiting relatives in and near Maryville for two weeks, returned Wednesday evening from Pickering, where she visited her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wash Wray. She is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Moss and her sister, Mrs. Will Rodgers.

**MRS. LARAMORE
TELLS TROUBLES**

**Lady in Goodwater Describes Her
Distressing Experience and
Tells How She Was
Finally Relieved.**

Goodwater, Mo.—"Ever since I was a little girl," says Mrs. Riley Laramore, "I was a great sufferer from dyspepsia. I suffered misery after eating, and had terrible heartburn.

I thought I had to suffer this way as long as I lived, but when I began to take Thedford's Black-Draught, in small doses, every night, the heartburn was all gone in a few days, and I could eat without distress.

I took two small packages in all, and although that was some time ago, the dyspepsia has not returned.

I speak a good word for Thedford's Black-Draught whenever I have the opportunity."

If eating causes distress, we urge you to try Thedford's Black-Draught. It cleanses the system, helps the stomach to digest its food, regulates the bowels, and stimulates the liver.

It acts gently and is without bad after-effects. Try it. Price 25c.

Went to Kansas City.

Prof. John Cameron of the Normal faculty went to Kansas City Thursday, where he will attend teachers' associations there and at Independence, and will have part in the programs.

Mrs. W. C. Irwin and son, Charles of Chicago arrived in Maryville Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. Irwin's son, Harry M. Irwin, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Johnson of Pickering spent Thursday forenoon at St. Francis hospital, where their sister-in-law, Mrs. S. K. Lasley of Hopkins, underwent a surgical operation.

Mrs. Miranda Miller went to Hopkins Thursday to visit her son, Dr. Ed Miller, and family.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

J. H. Sewell of Burlington Junction was in the city Thursday.

Attend the wagon sale Maryville, Saturday, October 21, 1 p. m. sharp.

A Mother Helpless.

Philadelphia, Oct. 19.—Mrs. George Griffith was forced to remain helpless in bed while she saw her 15-month-old baby girl toddle to a table in the bedroom, swallow two strychnine tablets and die. The mother is helpless from paralysis. In attempting to alleviate her suffering her physician is using strychnine. The baby, playing around the room, though the strychnine was candy. She swallowed two tablets before the mother could make a sound to summon aid.

Army Officer a Suicide.

Leavenworth, Kan., Oct. 19.—Capt. Winifred B. Carr, a student at the Army Service school at Fort Leavenworth, committed suicide in his quarters, 20-A Summer Place, by shooting himself through the head with an army revolver. He was 36 years old. A board of officers from the service schools is conducting an investigation.

No Roads for Town Motors.

Chickasha, Okla., Oct. 19.—A bond issue for \$6,000 to build good roads in this county was defeated by the vote of the farmers. The farmers feared that the bonds were being pushed by the people of the cities in order to give motor car owners good roads over which to run their cars.

Government Drops a Suit.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The government has abandoned its legal fight to recover a penalty from the St. Louis National Stock Yards for alleged violation of the 28-hour law, regulating the feeding and watering of live stock in interstate transportation.

Salesman Found Dead.

Chanute, Kan., Oct. 19.—Jay Bowman, a salesman, was found dead in his room at the Kuehne Hotel. His death is believed to have resulted from an overdose of drugs.

TIM SULLIVAN'S LAND TAX

**Big Politician Has Scheme to Reduce
Congestion in New York Tenement Districts.**

Big Tim Sullivan has been looking about a bit in his Bowery kingdom, and as a consequence the brainiest man in Tammany has hammered out a land tax system, which he believes will reduce the congestion in the tenement districts, a New York correspondent of the Cincinnati Times-Star writes. "People in my district sleep three and four to the room," said he, "and many of the rooms have never had a ray of sunlight in them. They have to live that way because the rent is so high. The tenement owner who is willing to tear down his old building and put up a new one, with sunlight in every window and bath in every flat, is afraid to do so, because he knows that his taxes would go sky-highing up. The poor devils who rent his flats would in the end pay for that higher rate of taxation. Every eighth child born in New York city dies because its mother has to go to work or starve. At the same time there are 40,000 acres of good land lying idle within the city limits."

Therefore Sullivan has a plan to cut the taxes on improved real estate, and increase the taxes on vacant property. He figures that owners would have either to build on their land—which would relieve the downtown congestion—or go to farming it, which would indirectly have the same effect. "A watch dog on a farm lives better than many of my constituents," he declares, "and yet, after an experience of a lifetime down there, I have yet to find the equal of the families on the streets near the Bowery for industry and economy and courage. Maybe my land tax plan is Bowery political economy, as has been charged. I like it all the better for that fact. The Bowery has had to put up with Fifth avenue political economy for a good while."

HE NEEDED NO INTERPRETER

**Explosion Follows Volley of Dialects
Hurled at Caran, Which Results
in His Discharge.**

Joseph Caran, laborer, tanned to the color of the faded red undershirt he was wearing, was arrested on a technical charge the other day, writes the New York correspondent of the Cincinnati Times-Star, and taken before Magistrate Voorhees. The magistrate scanned the papers placed before him, noted the man's name and observed his make-up. "Tell the court interpreter to come in," said he.

The court interpreter burst into a gagle of Sicilians when he beheld Caran. Caran looked stupefied. The interpreter tried the Neapolitan dialect on him. Caran shook his head. The interpreter tried Basque, half a dozen country dialects of Spanish, and some low French on him. Caran began to look indignant. The interpreter said that it was no good. "Dees 1-man can-not understand' noting wiat Heye can spik. He mu's be man fom one dem Little Islands in da Mediterranean, w're dey no spek good Italiano at all-a," said the interpreter.

Caran listened with an air of grieved surprise.

"It's too bad," said Magistrate Voorhees. "Take him back to the cells. We'll have to hold him until we find some one who can make him understand."

"What the divvle," burst out Mr. Caran, explosively. "Did yeas t'ink I'm a monkey, to understand what this chattering baboon here says to me? When yeas can't talk United States in this court, take me to wan where they do. That's ahil."

Magistrate Voorhees looked silently at Caran, took in his violently Latin scenery, and compared it with the obviously Hibernian accents that tumbled over each other on Caran's lips. Then Mr. Voorhees slipped himself a giggle. "Discharged," said he.

Home-Baked Bread.
The typical sanitary bakery is the home kitchen. Nothing will be said here as to "rots and spots" and second-grade flour and alum-bleach or the enforced companionship of journeymen bakers and cellar rats at the corner shop.

Consider only the great brown household loaf, as Rabelais called it. Its crust has the rich hue of a country maiden's cheek. Its crumb is as creamy as her neck. Its aroma as it comes crackling from the oven, is not the veritable soul of the wheat, is at least its aura. There is savor in home-made bread, and the meat on which our modern Caesars may grow great.

All that our race is it owes to the old kitchen. Unless the pure food law is all wrong, the red flag flies from other roofs.—New York World.

Mrs. J. H. Spencer of Lenox, Ia., who has been a patient at St. Francis hospital the past two weeks, returned to her home Thursday fully recovered.

Mrs. John Graham of Clyde was in the city Wednesday and Thursday, making preparations to move to her new residence on West First street.

Will Guyett and George Snoderly of Burlington Junction were in Maryville Thursday.

W. W. and Frank Potts of Burlington Junction were in Maryville Thursday.

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2 gallons **.45c**

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2 gallons **.25c**

MISSOURIANS TO BUY BONDS

STATE CAPITOL ISSUE WILL BE IN SMALL AMOUNTS.

Citizens Will be Asked to Subscribe for Entire Amount—A Matter of State Pride.

Jefferson City, Oct. 19—Missourians will be called upon to purchase the entire bond issue of \$3,500,000 for the new state capitol. Attorney General Major will oppose condemnation proceedings in the matter of acquiring additional property for the capitol grounds and park. These are the latest developments in the capitol plans. Eastern agents who deal in bonds object to the length of time the Missouri issue will run and the low rate of interest. The issue will be sold December 1, provided par is bid for all the bonds.

There are 1,200 trust companies and banking institutions in this state and each will be asked to take one or more of the bonds, which will be issued in the denominations of \$500 and \$1,000.

The attorney general expresses the belief that every bond would be taken by a Missourian. He says he has reason to believe that every bank and trust company will take one or more and is satisfied that a great many citizens will also be purchasers.

The question has been well settled that the bonds will be taxable if held in this state, but in spite of the fact that they bear only 3½ per cent interest, the state officials feel that there is enough state pride in financial institutions and among the people to subscribe for the bonds rather than permit the December sale to go by default and thus delay work on the new building.

FAINTING GROOM LOCATES BRIDE

Woman Who Left Husband in Swoon After Ceremony was Already Married.

Hutchinson, Kan., Oct. 19.—Mrs. Horace Dobson, who left her bridegroom lying on the floor in a faint at the conclusion of their marriage here has been heard from and the mystery regarding the cause of her desertion of her husband-of-a-minute is cleared up with a letter which the new husband now has in his possession.

To believe Mrs. Dobson's own words, Dobson must relinquish his claims to Fred Mitchell of Topeka, who seems to be husband No. 1. Mrs. Dobson, or Mrs. Mitchell, says that the marriage to Dobson wasn't legal and that she isn't coming back for two or three years. In the meantime Dobson will try for a divorce.

Dobson and Miss Helen Taylor, or Mrs. Helen Mitchell, as she now signs herself, had known each other for more than a year before their marriage here October 3. She came here the day before the wedding and went to the Dobson home. It was only after her husband had fainted because of the excitement of the wedding that she left with the cause of her departure unexplained.

LIVE STOCK RATES ARE LOWERED

Rock Island Announces Cut Following Action of Commerce Commission in Oklahoma.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Oct. 19—Following the recent Interstate Commerce commission hearing in this city on complaint of Oklahoma packers against live stock rates, the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway has reduced its rates on all live stock coming into the state. The reduction comes voluntarily. As the Rock Island ships the largest tonnage of live stock of any road into Oklahoma City, it is considered significant. The reduction will go into effect November 15. While not cut as much as desired by live stock men, the rate is considered lower than formerly. It is expected that other roads will follow the example of the Rock Island.

Military Tract Teachers Meet.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 19.—With "Education for Efficient Work" as the topic for general discussion, the Military Tract Educational association opened a three-day meeting here today. The speakers for the general sessions are Dr. J. N. Hurty, secretary of the Indiana state board of health; William H. Allen, director of municipal research, New York City; James L. Hughes, chief inspector of schools, Toronto, and State's Attorney John E. Wayman of Chicago. The Peoria schools have made a good exhibit of work.

Elopement With Sister-in-Law.

Smith Center, Kan., Oct. 19—Walter Buck, 35 years old, of Thorntburg, 12 miles north of here, eloped with his dead wife's youngest sister. They took an early morning train to Belleville, where they were arrested at the request of the girl's parents. They were held 24 hours and no charge being made against them, they were released.

Train Struck a Buggy.

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 19.—Roy Housman was killed and Harvey Campbell was seriously injured when a Great Western freight train struck the buggy in which they were riding near Fauillet. Campbell suffered internal injuries and both of his legs were broken.

MARYVILLE FURNITURE COMPANY'S Davenport and Couch Special OCTOBER 21st to 28th INCLUSIVE

Having received the largest shipment of Davenports and couches ever brought to Maryville, we have decided to open our First Fall Special by giving our customers the benefit of our quantity-bought prices in a quick-clearance sale.

These are all of the latest patterns in Golden Oak, Early English, and Fumed Oak, all in the quarter sawed wood, handsomely finished in Genuine Morocco and Spanish Leather, Chase Leather, Plush and Velours. All our bed Davenports are constructed with the latest Unifold, Rotary, or Automatic actions which insures that every Bed-Davenport may be quickly converted into a comfortable bed.

Just a few taken from our immense stock. Everything in the Couch and Davenport line will have a special price October 21st to 28th.

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\$65.00 FULL NO. 1 LEATHER DAVENPORT	\$59.00
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\$40.00 GOLDEN OAK MORROCOTINE LEATHER DAVENPORT	\$36.00
\$35.00 GOLDEN OAK IMITATION LEATHER AND PLUSH DAVENPORT	\$31.50
\$28.50 SANITARY PLUSH DAVENPORT	\$24.75

COUCHES

\$50.00 NO. 1 LEATHER COUCH	\$42.00
\$35.00 NO. 1 LEATHER COUCH	\$29.75
\$25.00 NO. 2 LEATHER COUCH	\$21.75
\$20.00 IMITATION LEATHER COUCH	\$17.75
\$18.00 AND \$18.50 IMITATION LEATHER COUCH	\$16.35
\$16.00 AND \$16.50 IMITATION LEATHER COUCH	\$14.90
\$15.00 IMITATION LEATHER COUCH	\$11.75
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See the line and our plain figure prices for this sale. We are also stocked to the limit in every department as we are carrying a greater variety in every line than ever before and we have put prices on our goods that will stand up in any furniture house. We have the goods and prices that please and a visit to our store will convince you.

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BOTH SIDES SUSPECT JAPAN

GOVERNMENT AT TOKIO WILL REMAIN NEUTRAL.

Pekin Says Japan Incited Trouble and Rebels Think She Aids Imperial Cause.

Her Brother Ill.

Mrs. Irvin Bartram and little son left Thursday morning for Tecumseh, Neb., where she was called by the serious illness of her brother, who is at Earlywine.

Social at Knabb.

There will be a social at the Knabb school on Saturday night, Oct. 21, 31.

Professor B. F. Duncan went to Jefferson City Wednesday evening on business.

Mrs. C. W. Strong of Pickering came to Maryville Thursday to visit her son, Dick Strong, and family of East Fourth street.

Auction sale of wagons Maryville, Saturday, October 21, 1 p. m. sharp.



A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be sure and satisfactory.

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Miss Nellie Harvey of Burlington Junction went to Creston, Ia., Thursday to visit her uncle, S. F. Harvey.

Miss Clara Kalterman went to Kansas City Wednesday evening to visit her mother, Mrs. Barbara Kalterman.

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TAFT'S TOUR TO BE EXTENDED

To Travel 3,000 or 4,000 Miles More Than at First Intended.

LONGEST PRESIDENTIAL TOUR

Will Discard Special Train at Pittsburgh or Chicago and Finish in Private Car—Near An Accident.

Las Vegas, Nev., Oct. 18.—President Taft's notable "swing around the circuit," now ending its fifth week, will not end in Washington November 1, as first contemplated, but will be extended until November 15 or 18.

The President will travel 3,000 or 4,000 miles more than at first intended, bringing the total mileage of his tour up to between 16,000 and 17,000 miles and breaking all known records of presidential travel.

The regular itinerary of the original trip will be followed to Pittsburgh where President Taft will spend the entire day of October 31. Then, instead of keeping on toward Washington, Mr. Taft will go direct to Morgantown, W. Va., to spend November 1. From Morgantown he will go to Hot Springs, Va., to rest five days, starting West again in time to vote at Cincinnati at the local elections to be held there November 7. The president will remain in his home town a day or two and will be given a banquet.

There are two or three tentative dates in Tennessee following this, and then it is expected Mr. Taft will return to Washington in time to prepare his message to congress, which meets the first Monday in December.

According to President Taft's plans, he will discard his special train either at Chicago or Pittsburgh and will make the supplemental tour in his private car attached to regular trains.

A serious mishap to President Taft's train was narrowly averted as it was crossing the desert twenty miles west of Kelso. A slipping tire on one of the trailer wheels of the locomotive was discovered by the engineer while a stop was being made for water. The tire was in such a condition that it might have been thrown clear off the wheel in taking the curve at high speed, when it would have been an even break as to whether the engine and several cars following would have been derailed. There was a delay of more than half an hour in getting a spare engine to the isolated spot where the dangerous condition was discovered.

INDIANS ARE FACING FAMINE

Shoshones and Arapahoes in Wyoming Without Employment, Money or Food.

Lander, Wyo., Oct. 19.—Sixteen hundred Shoshones and Arapahoe braves squaws and papooses, it is reported, are face to face with the worst famine they have experienced within the knowledge of the white man.

Already on the Wind River Reservation suffering is reported, and when winter arrives, unless something is done for the relief of the Indians there will be many deaths from starvation among members of the tribes is the opinion of white settlers.

Cessation of work on government irrigation on the reservation, at which the Indians were employed, and failure of crops is the reason for the serious conditions of the Indians.

Girl Terribly Burned.

Pittsburg, Kan., Oct. 19.—A few weeks ago Andrew Heefer, a miner at Franklin, suffered a broken back in a mine accident. To relieve the situation of the family Rosa, his 15-year-old daughter, was given the position of janitress of one of the schools. While starting a fire in an upstairs room at the school her clothing caught fire and she was so terribly burned she cannot recover.

Illinois B. Y. P. U. Session.

Elgin, Ill., Oct. 19.—The annual meeting of the Illinois Baptist Young People's Union opened here this morning. An interesting program had been prepared with Rev. W. E. Chalmers, the newly elected international secretary, as the chief speaker. An unusually large delegation from Chicago came in a special car.

Kansas City Students at K. U.

Lawrence, Kan., Oct. 19.—Each year Kansas City, Mo., sends more students to the University of Kansas than any other one city. There are more than 150 Kansas City young men and women attending K. U. this year. These students are just as loyal to Kansas university and as active in the school work as the Kansas born and Kansas bred boy or girl.

Storm Sweeps Mexican Coast.

Tucson, Ariz., Oct. 19.—Another terrific storm has swept the west coast of Mexico. Reports just received here stated that one schooner went ashore. Several washouts were reported on the Southern Pacific south of Mazatlan. The storm extended as far south as Tepic.

TURNED TABLES ON BANK ROBBER

Man Gets Coin and is Captured by Cashier and Customer.

IMPRISONED WITHIN AN HOUR

Holdup at Vera, Oklahoma, Ready to Leave With Booty, Lowers His Gun Too Soon.

Vera, Ok., Oct. 19.—A masked robber walked into the state bank here shortly after noon. Finding Cashier H. C. Bolman alone, he aimed a gun through the wicket and ordered him to stack up the cash, about \$1,600 on the edge of the window.

While Bolman was carrying out orders, a customer of the bank, J. W. Chandler, came in. The robber covered him also. After emptying the money set out for him into a bag which he carried under his coat, he ordered them to march out the back door. The two men, at the point of a gun, were taken down a back street to the edge of town, where the robber had his horse.

There was no one on the streets and the trip was made without attracting notice.

After untying the animal he shoved his pistol into the holster and turned to mount. As he turned his back Mr. Bolman and his friend jumped for him, pinioned his arms and after disarming him relieved him of the package of stolen money. Returning to town with the prisoner they turned him over to an officer and an hour later he was lodged in jail at Bartlesville.

The whole affair, the hold-up, robbery of the bank and incarceration of the prisoner did not occupy more than an hour's time.

At the jail, the prisoner at first refused to give any name or make a statement of any kind, but later gave the name of Adrian Lockhart and said he had lived in Vera several years. Sheriff Jordan also arrested Roy Wells in connection with the case. Both prisoners are young men.

THIEVES BOTHER THE BREWERS

German Steins, Costing \$1.50 Each Proved Too Attractive for Chicago Women.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—Women souvenir collectors have given the officials of the International Brewers' congress now in session here, much trouble by carrying away costly steins used in the model bierstube. More than three hundred and seventy-five steins—made in Germany and valued at \$1.50 each—have vanished.

Dr. Mark Henius, secretary of the congress, became so annoyed that he ordered the German steins to the strong box, and common everyday beer mugs substituted.

Some women were found with steins tucked underneath the folds of their sleeves, others hid them in cloaks, and many slipped them into large handbags. Those were easy to recover. But now the police have discovered the women were tying the steins beneath the folds of their dresses.

"What could I do?" said one policeman. "I'm a policeman; not a customs inspector."

Jonathans Win a College Course.

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 19.—A prize of \$50 was awarded to Ferdinand Zolfer of Clyde for the best apples entered in the Missouri state board of horticulture contest. The contest was open to all boys between the ages of 16 and 20 years who had never attended an agricultural college. Zolfer is 16 years old. The winner exhibited a gallon of Jonathans.

Watching Dynamite Suspects.

Santa Barbara, Cal., Oct. 19.—Two men are under surveillance for the attempt to dynamite El Capitan bridge, over which President Taft's train passed early Monday morning. The stamps on the dynamite found there are the same as on the dynamite used by Southern Pacific workmen in blasting.

Road Boosters Met.

Fulton, Mo., Oct. 19.—Several hundred people attended the mass meeting held at Millersburg in the interest of good roads. A delegation of good roads boosters were present from Fulton. Millersburg and Earl will vote next Tuesday on the proposition of forming a special 8-mile district.

Accident at Liberty Show.

Liberty, Mo., Oct. 19.—Miss Emma Pease, a senior at Liberty Ladies' college, was dangerously injured in the riding contest at the Clay County Produce show when her horse fell. One of her legs was dislocated and a cheek bone broken.

For the Harris Unveiling.
Manhattan, Kan., Oct. 19.—One thousand invitations have been issued by President Waters for the ceremony attending the unveiling of the Col. W. A. Harris memorial, which will take place October 28.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. Forads larger than this size one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

Writing class, Business college night.

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, heap Charles Hyslop.

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms or Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red cockerels, dandies. \$1.00 each. Mrs. J. A. Clark.

FOR SALE—Sixty acres or less with good improvements, one mile southwest of Maryville limits. J. J. Barr.

FOR SALE QUICK—My 7-year-old jack Mammoth, and stallion Coach; also five suckling mules. See them at Elmo, Mo. R. T. Lamar.

FOR SALE—Eight acres improved in Southeast Maryville. Lella Bonevitz, 1304 East Cooper street, Hanamo 493 Red.

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red and Buff Rock cockerels. Mrs. Jared Yates, Burlington Junction. Phone 194 Green.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey hogs of spring farrow, male and female, of no kin. Come and see them. A. B. Downen, Maryville, Mo. R. F. D. 3. Farmers phone 1-13.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred cockerels, Barred Rocks, S. C. and Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds and S. C. Buff Orpingtons. Prices \$1 to \$2.50 each. Also a few Barred Rock hens, 75¢ each. F. W. Olney, Bell phone 277.

FOR SALE—A few Poland-China male pigs, March and April farrow.

The big type kind with plenty of quality, at prices that will suit you. Farmers phone No. 43-12. W. O. Garrett.

6-19

FOR SALE—Coal sold and delivered in one or more basket lots, without any charge for delivery, by Anthony's second hand store, 207 West Third street. Hanamo phone 258 red.

6-19

CLOVER HAY FOR SALE—About fifty tons; can be fed to cattle on the premises if desired, or will sell all or part by the stack. The meadow, 160 acres, is seven miles north of Maryville. Enquire of J. S. Pfeiffer, resides half mile southeast of land. This 160 acres is for rent for next season pasture. Well fenced, good water. The Sisson Loan and Title Co., Maryville, Mo.

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FOR RENT—Nice home, 6 rooms and bath. Modern except heat; well located and good neighborhood. Call at Farmers telephone office.

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For rent—Several dwellings, one with furnace, bath and electric lights.

R. L. McDougal.

Abstracts of title, insurance and loans.

PASTURE FOR RENT—By the month or head; 160 acres. Nothing on all summer. Julius Ellerman, Clyde, Mo.

6-20

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Wroe Carpenter of near Burlington Junction was in town Thursday.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND.
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Remember when you buy our Pills, you get a full guarantee.

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HALLOWE'EN NEXT

ALL SAINTS' DAY IS ON LAST DAY OF THIS MONTH.

WHY DAY IS CELEBRATED

Social Functions Will Doubtless Be Given and Be Scenes of Mirth.

Another Hallowe'en will soon be here. In less than two weeks the day of All Saints will be upon us and the usual gay festivities of the same date for many years past will be repeated.

Hallowe'en is a yearly occasion that stands by itself. It is entirely unlike any of the other days of the year that are observed because some notable event occurred at that time or because it has been set aside by the world or some particular nation as a holiday, says the Creston Advertiser-Gazette. It has many peculiarities, which are unquestionably the result of the original customs of the occasion having taken a much different form as they were passed down through the generations. Taking the accepted definition of Hallowe'en and we see that in many ways the purposes for which it was originated have been abused.

For instance, the idea of the small boy that it is a day when the wanton destruction of property is an appropriate act and when such conduct is excusable is certainly a mistaken one.

It will be as an Hallowe'en in Maryville if the city authorities can so make it. While there has been no announcements of social happenings on that night, it is doubtless that many will be given where there will be scenes of festive "stunts" in keeping with All Saints' day.

Hallowe'en is the popular name for the Eve of Vighl of All Saints. As the date of that festival is November 1st, Hallowe'en or Hallow-evening is observed on the evening of October 31st. Historical advices regarding Hallowe'en are uncertain in naming the date of origin. It is practically certain that the festival of Hallowe'en was in the heathenish form by the Celtic races as early as the third century where rites of fire worship were performed and human lives offered up in sacrifice.

Anciently the most essential ceremony seems to have been the lighting of a bonfire at nightfall by every household. In Scotland in the ancient days there were many superstitions concerning Hallowe'en. The evening was thought to have brought a charm that enabled every maid and man to discover his or her future wife or husband. In England it has long been the custom to gather around the fire, crack nuts, duck for apples in water, and perform other fireside revelries.

WILL PUBLISH STATEMENT

Of Receipts and Expenditures for the Recent Street Fair.

The committee that had charge of the street fair in Maryville last week will publish a statement of the receipts and expenditures of the fair either Friday or Saturday, so all may know how the money was spent. After paying off all bills the Street Fair association is about \$500 to the good.

Will Register for Land.

Mr. and Mrs. Iri J. Walker returned from Bedford Wednesday evening, where Mr. Walker has charge of the Vegue theater, owned by J. B. Ells of the Fern theater of this city. Mr. Walker will take the place of L. J. Phipps at the moving picture machine during his absence at Gregory, S. D., where he has gone to register at the land opening. Mr. Phipps was accompanied by Chief of Police John Wallace and W. G. A. Edwards.

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NO HEADQUARTERS.

Clark Says No Man Ever Declined a Nomination for President.

The St. Louis Republic last night telegraphed this message to Champ Clark at Dallas, Texas:

To settle discussion of the matter and relieve what many Democrats term an embarrassing situation, will you wire the Republic definitely whether or not you are a candidate for the presidential nomination and whether you recognize the action of the Democratic convention of Missouri) that endorsed Folk? Dispatches from Washington are conflicting. Some say your presidential headquarters have been closed. Others that they have never been opened.

The speaker of the house of representatives sent this reply:

Answering your inquiry will say that the report sent out from Washington that my presidential headquarters have been closed is a malicious lie made of whole cloth, for the all-sufficient reason that I never had any presidential headquarters to close.

I never began a conversation about running for president in my life. I never wrote a letter soliciting anybody's help. I never spent a cent about it in my life.

I have been out of Missouri a whole month attending to my own business and making some clean money lecturing and have little idea as to what is being said and done in the state.

My own opinion is that all offices, including the presidency, belong to the people. The Missouri delegation to the national convention belongs to the Democrats of Missouri. I take it for granted that they have abundant sense to select such delegation as they want and to instruct it for their choice for president in a convention or primary called for that purpose. They cannot be deprived of that right. No man ever declined a nomination for president by a great party, and no man ever will decline such nomination.

ATHLETICS DEFEAT GIANTS.

But It Was a Game of Basket Ball in Tournament at Normal.

Standing of Teams.

	P. W. L. Price
Tigers	5 3 2 .600
Dodgers	7 4 3 .571
Dwarfs	6 3 3 .500
Giants	6 3 3 .500
Athletics	5 2 3 .400

No, gentle reader, the Philadelphia Athletics did not defeat McGraw's Giants Wednesday afternoon, but in the Normal basket ball tournament the Athletics avenged their defeat of last week by thoroughly trouncing the Giants 23 to 10. The Athletics presented a new line-up which proved effective. The line-up:

Athletics—Forwards, Allen and Strader; center, Perrin; guards, Cook and Palmer.

Giants—Forwards, Taylor and Price, V. Seymour; center, V. Seymour; Price; guards, Hanna and McKee.

Summary—Field goals, Strader 4, Perrin 5, Taylor 1, Seymour 3. Free throws, Perrin 5, Seymour 2.

In the second game the Dwarfs pulled the Dodgers out of first place by taking the long end of a 10 to 8 score. The feature of the whole game was the fine defensive work of McClintonck, who held Seymour without a field goal. Seymour was not up to form on his free throwing, as he only got three out of ten chances. The line-up:

Dwarfs—Forwards, Dunshee and Craig; center, Breit; guards, McClintock and Miller.

Dodgers—Forwards, Denny and McGrew; center, H. Seymour; guards, Feris, Mutz and Parman.

Summary—Field goals, Craig 2, Dunshee 1, McClintonck 1, McGrew 2. Free throws, Craig 1, Dunshee 1, Seymour 3. One point was awarded the Dodgers.

SAVINGS BANK AT HOPKINS

Designated by Postmaster General, and Effective on Nov. 9.

The Hopkins postoffice has been designated by Postmaster General Hitchcock as a postal savings depository, effective on November 9, 1911. W. L. Morehead is the postmaster at Hopkins. Up to the present time only a few of the larger towns of the state have been recognized with a postal savings bank in connection with their postoffice.

Visiting Patient at Hospital.

Mrs. Charles Nicholas of Burlington Junction spent Thursday in Maryville visiting at St. Francis hospital with her cousin, Wilson Nicholas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Nicholas, who is quite sick of appendicitis.

SUICIDE BY HANGING

JAMES FRANKLIN GRAY TOOK HIS LIFE NEAR PICKERING.

WAS SLIGHTLY DEMENTED

Attended Street Fair in Maryville. Two Daughters in This County and a Son in Iowa.

James Franklin Gray, an old soldier about 75 years old, took his life Wednesday afternoon by hanging himself in a barn on the farm of his daughter, Mrs. George Lock, two miles northeast of Pickering. The only cause given for the rash deed was that Mr. Gray has been mentally unbalanced for some time.

The body was found by Mrs. George Lock and was hanging on a rope that was fastened to a cross beam in the barn. Mrs. Lock says that it was about 3 o'clock when the body was found, and that probably he ended his life a half hour earlier. She said at the coroner's inquest held yesterday afternoon that her father has been imagining things, but had said nothing about taking his life.

Another daughter, Mrs. Lafe Blanchard, who lives two miles from the Lock farm, said at the inquest that her father had attended the Maryville street fair two days last week, and since that time had seemed more nervous and worried. The last spell he had, Mrs. Blanchard says, was about on July 4, this year, when he was mentally off, but he got some better in a few days and was all right up to coming to Maryville last week.

A coroner's inquest was held Wednesday afternoon by Coroner J. H. Todd at the Lock home. The jury brought in a verdict that James Franklin Gray came to his death by his own hand by hanging by the neck. The coroner's jury was composed of Charles Coleman, Henry Pistole, James Carter, Roland Wray, L. J. Neal and Geo. W. Neal.

Mr. Gray has been making his home for the past year with his two daughters, Mrs. Lock and Mrs. Blanchard, near Pickering. Before that time he was in the old soldiers' home at Lenoxworth, Kan., for two years. He is survived, besides these two daughters, by one son, George, who is living in Siam, Ind.

The funeral services will be held Friday, burial taking place in the cemetery west of Pickering.

Spent Day in St. Joseph.

Charles Childress of this city and his brother, Cabel Childress, living north of Maryville, accompanied by their nieces, Miss Helen Trullinger and Miss Clara Tabler, went to St. Joseph in the Childress car Thursday morning to spend the day on business and pleasure.

Choir Meeting.

The Christian church choir will meet this evening for practice at the church. On account of the social in the church parlors the hour has been changed to 7 o'clock sharp. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Gilbert, who have been making Maryville their home, went to Barnard Wednesday evening to live. They were accompanied by Mrs. Gilbert's sister, Miss Bertha Cox.

I X L Embroidery Club.

Mrs. Frank Walts was hostess to the I X L Embroidery club Wednesday afternoon, at her home, at 602 North Mulberry street. Only three

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Mission Circle Meeting.

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the First Christian church will meet Saturday afternoon with Miss Litta Roelefon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roelefon.

Their Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Roots, living just north of the city, have commenced preparations for celebrating their golden wedding anniversary in December.

Dinner Guests Near Barnard.

Mrs. J. E. Melvin and her sister, Mrs. James Melvin of Sciota, Ill., were guests on Thursday of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Melvin of near Barnard.

Honor Guests at Hopkins.

Mrs. William Walls, Jr., and Mrs. Lafe C. Allender went to Hopkins Thursday noon and were guests at 1 o'clock luncheon of Mrs. Edward Wolters, Sr. In the afternoon they were honor guests with Mrs. Gus Wehrman of St. Joseph at a party at 590 given by Mrs. Charles E. Donlin.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mrs. Anna Snyder and her daughter, Mrs. Emmett Beal of Oelrich, S. D., who is visiting her, and Mrs. Beal's mother-in-law, Mrs. George Arthur of Pickering, were 6 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Denham Wednesday evening. Mrs. Beal went to Pickering Thursday for a visit with her husband's parents, but expects to return Monday.

Missionary Tea.

Mrs. J. L. Jones of West First street will be hostess on Friday afternoon to the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church. The society will give its regular missionary tea that afternoon. A fine program has been prepared on denominational work in Russia, as reported recently at the Baptist world congress in Philadelphia. All the ladies of the church and congregation and their friends are cordially invited to attend.

South Side Embroidery Club.

Mrs. Charles J. Eckert entertained the South Side Embroidery club Wednesday afternoon at her new home, 1001 North Main street. Three of the members were unable to be present, Mrs. Miles Nicholas, whose son, Wilson Nicholas, is sick in the hospital; Miss Eva Farrar, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Carter, in Lawrence, Kan.; and Miss Bess Nicholas, who is in Circleville, Kan. The hostess served refreshments at the close of a very pleasant afternoon. The guest of the afternoon was Miss Cora Hartley of Bolckow, who is a visitor at the Eckert home this week. The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. Lawrence Fraze, living at Seventh and Mulberry streets. The members present were Mrs. M. D. Kemp, Mrs. J. C. Farrar, Mrs. Lawrence Fraze, Mrs. George Stafford, Mrs. J. P. Fraze, Miss Rose Fraze, Mrs. T. A. Wiles, Mrs. W. T. Ramsey, Mrs. H. W. Hull, Mrs. Edward Egley, Mrs. W. O. Garrett.

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WILL SPEND \$8,500

LIGHT PLANT MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN EQUIPMENT.

PUT IN 300 H. P. BOILER

Company Preparing for Increased Business, Which Is Three Times as Large as Three Years Ago.

Many improvements are being made at the Maryville Electric Light company's plant to handle the increased business and give better service to their customers.

For a few weeks past work on installing a 300 horsepower boiler has been going on, and this week a new steel smokestack that is 125 feet high and 6 feet across the top is being put up.

The new boiler has more capacity than the three old boilers that have been used at the plant. Two of the old boilers are to be retained, while one is to be taken out, being the one that was used in the old light plant near the Wabash tracks.

The old stack will also be torn down. It was 80 feet high and 3 feet across the top.

These improvements will cost the light company about \$8,500, and will be completed about November 15. On account of the increased business the improvements were necessary, and they are made so as to handle more business than they have at present. The business of the company ending April 1 is just double what it was three years ago.

Manager C. C. Hellmers of the light company said to a reporter of this paper:

"We intend to give better service to our customers. While no kicks have been made, the improvements were made so as to take care of the increased business and be able to handle more business, which we are going after. We haven't been in position to go after the business on account of the limited capacity of our plant, but with the new boiler and smokestack we will be able to handle 75 per cent more business."

NO GAME TODAY.

Today's game of the world's base ball series was postponed again today on account of rain. The next game will be played at Philadelphia on Friday.

Left for Their Home.

Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Fairholm of Massena, Ind., who have been spending a few days at the home of their nephew, Charles A. Wilson, 701 East Fifth street, left Thursday morning for visitors at Cameron and Brookfield before returning home.

On Missionary Program.

Mrs. E. B. Sheldon went to Savannah Thursday morning to attend the Woman's Missionary conference of the M. E. church, South, for this district. Mrs. Sheldon will be on Friday's program with a paper on "Our Women's Work in Korea."

Miss Fraze Operated On.

Mrs. Charles Froman of Hopkins came to Maryville Thursday morning to be with her cousin, Miss Rose Fraze of this city, who was operated on at St. Francis hospital Thursday morning.

Left for Montana.

Mrs. John O'Connor, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, left Thursday for her home in Miles City, Mont.

The Weather

Generally fair tonight and Friday; cooler tonight with probably frost if clear.

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The death of Justice John Marshall Harlan is a great loss to the people of the United States. Justice Harlan was the oldest in point of service of any member of the supreme court, and had he lived six months longer he would have served a longer period than any man has yet served. His death leaves

Chief Justice White, appointed by President Cleveland, the oldest member of the court in point of service. Justice Harlan was known as the people's judge, and his opinions were frequently at variance with the decisions of the court, as it was in the recent Standard Oil decision. President Taft will appoint a successor to Justice Harlan soon after congress meets.

This appointment will turn the majority of the supreme court into one of Mr. Taft's own making, he having already appointed four members of the court and promoted one to the chief justiceship. No other president except Lincoln ever had the opportunity to appoint so many members of the supreme court, and since Mr. Taft has found it impossible to view the great questions before the people in the same light as they are viewed by the public, it will be a matter of regret to the majority that this unusual opportunity is afforded him, as it can hardly be expected that a man of the same trend of thought and sympathies as Justice Harlan will be named to succeed him.

Auction sale of wagons Maryville,
Saturday, October 21, 1 p. m. sharp.

OCTOBER 19, 1911.

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Come in and see the World's Greatest Range
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Hosmer's Annual Weanling Colt Sale
Gray's Pavilion, Maryville, Saturday Oct. 21st, 1911.

50 HEAD WEANLING COLTS—There will be colts of all sizes and kinds, Roadsters, Drafters, and Mule colts. If you want to sell one or a dozen colts get them in the sale. If you want to buy some good colts this will be your chance.

20 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Some good ones already listed and more in sight, have some good drafters and roadsters.

Spring shoats, sows, boars of all breeds. 100 head of lambs, and a few extra good shropshire bucks are listed, so you can buy anything you want in the stock line. 5 extra good milch cows.

R. P. HOSMER "The Auctioneer."

Todays Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—6,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 2,000.
Hogs—26,000. Market 5¢ higher; top, \$6.80. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.
Sheep—28,000. Market steady.
KANSAS CITY.
Cattle—7,000. Market steady.
Hogs—11,000. Market 5¢ higher; top, \$6.60.
Sheep—8,000. Market steady.
ST. JOSEPH.
Cattle—2,700. Market steady.
Hogs—6,500. Market 5¢ higher; top, \$6.55.
Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.
National Stock Yards, Ill., Oct. 18.—Cattle receipts, 8,000. Mostly medium and grassy grades. General market steady but very slow. Nothing choice here. No chance for improvement under present heavy receipts. Choice cattle are scarce and prospects favorable.

Hog receipts, 11,000. Active steady market. One lot brought \$6.75, but \$6.70 was the general top. Bulk of the good hogs sold at \$6.40-\$6.65. Outlook all right on fat hogs.

Sheep receipts, 2,000. Lamb quality poor; choice quotable to \$5.75. Sheep, \$3.65. Market unchanged. National Live Stock Commission Co.

Outing and Street Suits.

Soft cheviots and serges will be the accepted materials for outing dresses and suits for general street wear.

The woman who has a blue serge suit will be decidedly "in it" so far as fashion goes, especially if it is trimmed with satin or fur.

One of the most attractive models I have seen for an outing frock for fall was of sapphire blue serge with an almost invisible pinstripe woven in it, and it was trimmed with bias bands of blue and black striped satin.

The bodice was cut with half length kimono sleeves. From the shoulder line, both back and front, was a two-inch tuck each side extending to the slightly raised waist line.

One side of the bodice was finished with a deep square rever, which fell from the shoulder almost to the waist and was bordered with a band of striped silk, mitered at the corner. A large satin covered button and simulated buttonhole caught it down to the front of the bodice.

The left side of the bodice folded under perfectly plain, but had attached to it a lace edged rill of white batiste, which peeped out from underneath the rever. A similar rill finished the round neck.

Deep pointed cuffs of satin laid back over the sleeves. The bodice and skirt were joined with a narrow stitched girdle, which fastened in front with a satin covered button.

The skirt was perfectly plain, excepting for a shaped band of satin about the hem. It opened at the left side of the front and was slit up from the lower edge for twelve inches, where a pleating of silk was set in underneath, giving the skirt a slight fullness at the hem.

Satin covered buttons held this opening in place over the silk inset.

The frock was simplicity itself, yet exceedingly attractive for an all-round dress which can be worn all winter under a long coat or with furs.

Mrs. W. E. Wray of Dell Rapids, S. D., who has been visiting relatives in and near Maryville for two weeks, returned Wednesday evening from Pickering, where she visited her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wash Wray. She is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Moss and her sister, Mrs. Will Rodgers.

**MRS. LARAMORE
TELLS TROUBLES**

**Lady in Goodwater Describes Her
Distressing Experience and
Tells How She Was
Finally Relieved.**

Goodwater, Mo.—"Ever since I was a little girl," says Mrs. Riley Laramore, "I was a great sufferer from dyspepsia. I suffered misery after eating, and had terrible heartburn.

I thought I had to suffer this way as long as I lived, but when I began to take Thedford's Black-Draught, in small doses, every night, the heartburn was all gone in a few days, and I could eat without distress.

I took two small packages in all, and although that was some time ago, the dyspepsia has not returned.

I speak a good word for Thedford's Black-Draught whenever I have the opportunity."

If eating causes distress, we urge you to try Thedford's Black-Draught. It cleanses the system, helps the stomach to digest its food, regulates the bowels, and stimulates the liver.

It acts gently and is without bad after-effects. Try it. Price 25c.

Went to Kansas City.
Prof. John Cameron of the Normal faculty went to Kansas City Thursday, where he will attend teachers' associations there and at Independence, and will have part in the programs.

Mrs. W. C. Irwin and son, Charles of Chicago arrived in Maryville Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. Irwin's son, Harry M. Irwin, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Johnson of Pickering spent Thursday forenoon at St. Francis hospital, where their sister-in-law, Mrs. S. K. Lasley of Hopkins, underwent a surgical operation.

Mrs. Miranda Miller went to Hopkins Thursday to visit her son, Dr. Ed Miller, and family.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

J. H. Scwill of Burlington Junction was in the city Thursday.

Attend the wagon sale Maryville, Saturday, October 21, 1 p. m. sharp.

A Mother Helpless.
Philadelphia, Oct. 19.—Mrs. George Griffith was forced to remain helpless in bed while she saw her 15-month-old baby girl toddle to a table in the bedroom, swallow two strichnine tablets and die. The mother is helpless from paralysis. In attempting to alleviate her suffering her physician is using strichnine. The baby, playing around the room, though the strichnine was candy. She swallowed two tablets before the mother could make a sound to summon aid.

Army Officer a Suicide.

Leavenworth, Kan., Oct. 19.—Capt. Winifred B. Carr, a student at the Army Service school at Fort Leavenworth, committed suicide in his quarters, 20-A Summer Place, by shooting himself through the head with an army revolver. He was 36 years old.

A board of officers from the service schools is conducting an investigation.

No Roads for Town Motors.

Chickasha, Ok., Oct. 19.—A bond issue for \$9,000 to build good roads in this county was defeated by the vote of the farmers. The farmers feared that the bonds were being pushed by the people of the cities in order to give motor car owners good roads over which to run their cars.

Government Drops a Suit.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The government has abandoned its legal fight to recover a penalty from the St. Louis National Stock Yards for alleged violation of the 28-hour law, regulating the feeding and watering of live stock in interstate transportation.

Salesman Found Dead.

Chanute, Kan., Oct. 19.—Jay Bowmen, a salesman, was found dead in his room at the Kuehner Hotel. His death is believed to have resulted from an overdose of drugs.

Home-Baked Bread.

The typical sanitary bakery is the home kitchen.

Nothing will be said here as to "rots and spots" and sec-

ond-grade flour and alum-bleach or the

enforced companionship of journey-

bakers and cellar rats at the cor-

ner shop.

Consider only the great brown

household loaf, as Rabelais called it.

Its crust has the rich hue of a coun-

try maiden's cheek. Its crumb is as

creamy as her neck. Its aroma as it

comes crackling from the oven, if not

the veritable soul of the wheat, is at

least its aura. There is savor in

home-made bread, and the meat on

which our modern Caesars may grow

great.

All that our race is it owes to the

old kitchen. Unless the pure food

law is all wrong, the red flag flies

from other roofs.—New York World.

Mrs. J. H. Spencer of Lenox, Ia., who has been a patient at St. Francis hospital the past two weeks, returned to her home Thursday fully recovered.

Mrs. John Graham of Clyde was in the city Wednesday and Thursday, making preparations to move to her new residence on West First street.

Will Guyett and George Snoderly of Burlington Junction were in Maryville Thursday.

W. W. and Frank Potts of Burlington Junction were in Maryville Thursday.

TIM SULLIVAN'S LAND TAX

**Big Politician Has Scheme to Reduce
Congestion in New York Tenement
Districts.**

Big Tim Sullivan has been looking about a bit in his Bowery kingdom, and as a consequence the brainiest man in Tammany has hammered out a land tax system, which he believes will reduce the congestion in the tenement districts, a New York correspondent of the Cincinnati Times-Star writes. "People in my district sleep three and four to the room," said he, "and many of the rooms have never had a ray of sunlight in them. They have to live that way because the rent is so high. The tenement owner who is willing to tear down his old building and put up a new one, with sunlight in every window and a bath in every flat, is afraid to do so, because he knows that his taxes would go skyrocketing up. The poor devils who rent his flats would in the end pay for that higher rate of taxation. Every eighth child born in New York city dies because its mother has to go to work or starve. At the same time there are 40,000 acres of good land lying idle within the city limits."

Therefore Sullivan has a plan to cut the taxes on improved real estate, and increase the taxes on vacant property. He figures that owners would have either to build on their land—which would relieve the downtown congestion—or go to farming it, which would indirectly have the same effect. "A watch dog on a farm lives better than many of my constituents," he declares, "and yet, after an experience of a lifetime down there, I have yet to find the equal of the families on the streets near the Bowery for industry and economy and courage. Maybe my land tax plan is Bowery political economy, as has been charged. I like it all the better for that fact. The Bowery has had to put up with Fifth avenue political economy for a good while."

HE NEEDED NO INTERPRETER

**Explosion Follows Volley of Dialects
Hurled at Caran, Which Results
in His Discharge.**

Joseph Caran, laborer, tanned to the color of the faded red undershirt he was wearing, was arrested on a technical charge the other day, writes the New York correspondent of the Cincinnati Times-Star, and taken before Magistrate Voorhees. The magistrate scanned the papers placed before him, noted the man's name and observed his make-up. "Tell the court interpreter to come in," said he.

The court interpreter burst into a gagle of Sicilian when he beheld Caran. Caran looked stupefied. The interpreter tried the Neapolitan dialect on him. Caran shook his head. The interpreter tried Basque, half a dozen country dialects of Spanish, and some low French on him. Caran began to look indignant. The interpreter said that it was no good. "Dees man can't understand notting w'at Heye can spik. He mus' be man fom one dem Little Islands in da Mediterranean, w're dey no speal good Italiano at all-a," said the interpreter.

Caran listened with an air of grieved surprise.

"It's too bad," said Magistrate Voorhees. "Take him back to the cells. We'll have to hold him until we find some one who can make him understand."

"What the divyle," burst out Mr. Caran, explosively. "Did yees t'ink I'm a monkey, to understand w'at this chattering baboon here says to me? If yeess can't talk United States in this court, take me to wan where they do. That's ahil."

Magistrate Voorhees looked silently at Caran, took in his violently Latin

scenery, and compared it with the obviously Hibernian accents that tumbled over each other on Caran's lips.

Then Mr. Voorhees slipped him a giggle. "Discharged," said he.

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BEST COUNTRY LARD, 2 lbs for 25c

2 pkgs choicest CONDENSED MINCE MEAT 15c

Extra large SWEET ORANGES, 3 for 10c

2 cans CAMPBELL'S or LIBBY'S SOUPS 15c

LIBBY'S CHILI, 3 cans 25c

MORRELL'S CHILI, per can 5c

MEJICAN HOT TAMALAS, 2 cans 15c

15 lbs finest GRANULATED SUGAR for \$1.00

4½ lbs fancy grade RIO COFFEE for \$1.00

1 lb fresh BULK COCOANUT for 15c

NEW YORK GRAPES, basket 25c

Choice TOKAY GRAPES, 3 lbs for 25c

New LIMA BEANS, 3½ lbs for 25c

RED KIDNEY BEANS, 3½ lbs for 25c

5 lbs new NAVY BEANS for 27c

2 cakes SAPOLIO for 15c

4 lbs COW SODA for 25c

6 lbs best BULK SODA for 25c

10 lbs SAL SODA for 20c

3 cakes SUNNY MONDAY SOAP 10c

25c large jars PEANUT BUTTER 18c

10c JARS PEANUT BUTTER, 2 for 15c

25c pkg GOLD DUST, 3 for 55c

25c pkg NAPTHA POWDER, 3 for 50c

25c RUB NO MORE for 16c

10c pkgs OLD DUTCH CLEANSER for 7c

10c NIX FOR DIRT, 3 for 10c

25c pkg WYANDOTTE CLEANSER for 18c

10c cake BON AMI 5c

New SALTED PEANUTS, 1b 15c

Fancy new DATES, 15c pkg at 10c

WALNUT STUFFED DATES, 2 lbs for 35c

20c cans GINGER CAKE MOLASSES for 12c

New SORGHUM, gallon 55c

Finest pack OYSTERS, 2 cans (No. 1 size) 15c

Finest pack OYSTERS (size No. 2 cans) per can 15c

3 cans OIL or MUSTARD SARDINES for 10c

No. 1 quality HEAVY BACON, 1b 15c

9 lbs best DRY SALT CURED BACON for \$1.00

SWIFT'S EMPIRE BACON, per lb. only 20c

Extra fancy CELERY, 3 bunches 25c

Choice CRANBERRIES, 3 quarts 25c

Fresh crisp LETTUCE, per bunch 5c

Genuine JERSEY SWEET POTATOES 6 lbs for 25c

10c PETER PAN or TRILBY TOILET SOAP for 7c

5c NYSA or LAVA SOAP for 4c

5c IVORY SOAP for 4c

10c IVORY SOAP for 7c

Arrived today, 1,200 dozen cans ELGIN CREAM SUGAR CORN. On sale Friday, 2 cans, 15c; doz. 85c

Extra good CABBAGE, 25 lbs for 50c; 10 lbs for 25c

½ bushel FRESH TURNIPS 20c

5c LENOX SOAP, per bar 3c

10c SHINING LIGHT AXLE GREASE, per box 6c

25c pails SHINING LIGHT AXLE GREASE for 16c

5c boxes BEST MATCHES, 2 boxes 5c

3 lbs Finest CREAM CHEESE for 50c

Peck No. 1 RED ONIONS 10c

MANGOES, per doz 10c

BRICK and SWISS CHEESE, 1b 20c

5 gallons PERFECTION COAL OIL for 35c

5 gallons PALACINE 20c OIL for 70c

5 gallons CROWN GASOLINE for 65c

MISTLETOE BUTTERINE, 1-lb prints each 20c

PURE CIDER VINEGAR, gallon, 25c; 2 gallons 45c

WHITE DISTILLED VINEGAR, gallon, 15c; 2 gallons 25c

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THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH
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MISSOURIANS TO BUY BONDS

STATE CAPITOL ISSUE WILL BE
IN SMALL AMOUNTS.

Citizens Will be Asked to Subscribe
for Entire Amount—A Matter
of State Pride.

Jefferson City, Oct. 19—Missourians will be called upon to purchase the entire bond issue of \$3,500,000 for the new state capitol. Attorney General Major will oppose condemnation proceedings in the matter of acquiring additional property for the capitol grounds and park. These are the latest developments in the capitol plans.

Eastern agents who deal in bonds object to the length of time the Missouri issue will run and the low rate of interest. The issue will be sold December 1, provided par is bid for all the bonds.

There are 1,200 trust companies and banking institutions in this state and each will be asked to take one or more of the bonds, which will be issued in the denominations of \$500 and \$1,000.

The attorney general expresses the belief that every bond would be taken by a Missourian. He says he has reason to believe that every bank and trust company will take one or more and is satisfied that a great many citizens will also be purchasers.

The question has been well settled that the bonds will be taxable if held in this state, but in spite of the fact that they bear only 3½ per cent interest, the state officials feel that there is enough state pride in financial institutions and among the people to subscribe for the bonds rather than permit the December sale to go by default and thus delay work on the new building.

FAINTING GROOM LOCATES BRIDE

Woman Who Left Husband in Swoon
After Ceremony was Already
Married.

Hutchinson, Kan., Oct. 19.—Mrs. Horace Dobson, who left her bridegroom lying on the floor in a faint at the conclusion of their marriage here has been heard from and the mystery regarding the cause of her desertion of her husband-of-a-minute is cleared up with a letter which the new husband now has in his possession.

To believe Mrs. Dobson's own words, Dobson must relinquish his claims to Fred Mitchell of Topeka, who seems to be husband No. 1. Mrs. Dobson, or Mrs. Mitchell, says that the marriage to Dobson wasn't legal and that she isn't coming back for two or three years. In the meantime Dobson will try for a divorce.

Dobson and Miss Helen Taylor, or Mrs. Helen Mitchell, as she now signs herself, had known each other for more than a year before their marriage here October 3. She came here the day before the wedding and went to the Dobson home. It was only after her husband had fainted because of the excitement of the wedding that she left with the cause of her departure unexplained.

LIVE STOCK RATES ARE LOWERED

Rock Island Announces Cut Following
Action of Commerce Commission
in Oklahoma.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Oct. 19.—Following the recent Interstate Commerce commission hearing in this city on complaint of Oklahoma packers against live stock rates, the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway has reduced its rates on all live stock coming into the state. The reduction comes voluntarily. As the Rock Island ships the largest tonnage of live stock of any road into Oklahoma City, it is considered significant. The reduction will go into effect November 15. While not cut as much as desired by live stock men, the rate is considered lower than formerly. It is expected that other roads will follow the example of the Rock Island.

Military Tract Teachers Meet.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 19.—With "Education for Efficient Work" as the topic for general discussion, the Military Tract Educational association opened a three-day meeting here today. The speakers for the general sessions are Dr. J. N. Hurty, secretary of the Indiana state board of health; William H. Allen, director of municipal research, New York City; James L. Hughes, chief inspector of schools, Toronto, and State's Attorney John E. Wayman of Chicago. The Peoria schools have made a good exhibit of work.

Elopement With Sister-in-Law.

Smith Center, Kan., Oct. 19—Walter Buck, 35 years old, of Thornburg, 12 miles north of here, eloped with his dead wife's youngest sister. They took an early morning train to Belleville, where they were arrested at the request of the girl's parents. They were held 24 hours and no charge being made against them, they were released.

Train Struck a Buggy.

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 19.—Roy Housman was killed and Harvey Campbell was seriously injured when a Great Western freight train struck the buggy in which they were riding near Faukett. Campbell suffered internal injuries and both of his legs were broken.

MARYVILLE FURNITURE COMPANY'S Davenport and Couch Special OCTOBER 21st to 28th INCLUSIVE

Having received the largest shipment of Davenports and couches ever brought to Maryville, we have decided to open our First Fall Special by giving our customers the benefit of our quantity-bought prices in a quick-clearance sale.

These are all of the latest patterns in Golden Oak, Early English, and Fumed Oak, all in the quarter sawed wood, handsomely finished in Genuine Morocco and Spanish Leather, Chase Leather, Plush and Velours. All our bed Davenports are constructed with the latest Unifold, Rotary, or Automatic actions which insures that every Bed-Davenport may be quickly converted into a comfortable bed.

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\$45.00	GOLDEN OAK MORROCOTINE LEATHER DAVENPORT	\$41.50
\$40.00	GOLDEN OAK MORROCOTINE LEATHER DAVENPORT	\$36.00
\$35.00	GOLDEN OAK IMITATION LEATHER AND PLUSH DAVENPORT	\$31.50
\$28.50	SANITARY PLUSH DAVENPORT	\$24.75

COUCHES

\$50.00	NO. 1 LEATHER COUCH	\$42.00
\$25.00	NO. 1 LEATHER COUCH	\$29.75
\$25.00	NO. 2 LEATHER COUCH	\$21.75
\$20.00	IMITATION LEATHER COUCH	\$17.75
\$18.00	AND \$18.50 IMITATION LEATHER COUCH	\$16.35
\$16.00	AND \$16.50 IMITATION LEATHER COUCH	\$14.90
\$15.00	IMITATION LEATHER COUCH	\$11.75
\$12.50	AND \$13.50 VELOUR COUCH	\$11.75

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GOVERNMENT AT TOKIO WILL REMAIN NEUTRAL.

Pekin Says Japan Incited Troubles
and Rebels Think She Aids
Imperial Cause.

Her Brother Ill.

Mrs. Irvin Bartram and little son left Thursday morning for Tecumseh, Neb., where she was called by the serious illness of her brother, who is at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Earlywine.

Social at Knabb.

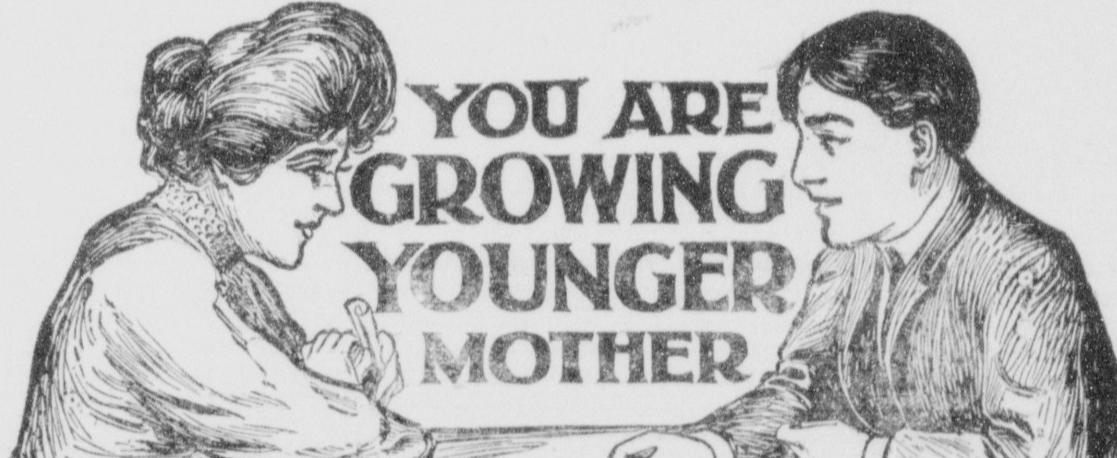
There will be a social at the Knabb school on Saturday night, Oct. 21. 3t

Professor B. F. Duncan went to Jefferson City Wednesday evening on business.

Mrs. C. W. Strong of Pickering came to Maryville Thursday to visit her son, Dick Strong, and family of East Fourth street.

Auction sale of wagons Maryville, Saturday, October 21, 1 p. m. sharp.

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